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Other State Agency Information

Department of Labor & Economic Growth

Bureau of Commercial Services

Licensing Division
2501 Woodlake Circle
Okemos MI 48864
(517) 241-9280

Board of Cosmetology – (517)241-9201
Board of Barber Examiners – (517) 241-9201

The current status of a license or registration by the Bureau of Commercial Services can be verified by visiting their website at: http://www.cis.state.mi.us/bcs_free/default.asp.

Wage and Hour Division

7150 Harris Drive, Box 30476
Lansing, Michigan 48909-7976
(517) 322-1825

The Youth Employment Standards Act covers all Michigan employers, and:

- Sets work permit requirements for minors
- Requires adult supervision of minors
- Establishes minimum age requirements for employment
- Establishes conditions for employment in movies, television, and other performing arts
- Prohibits employment of minors in hazardous occupations
- Regulates hours of employment for minors
- Provides meal/rest periods for minors

For additional information, visit: www.michigan.gov/cis/0,1607,7-154-27673-39648--,00.html.

Michigan Department of Education

Office of Professional Preparation Services (formerly Teacher Certification)

Post Office Box 30008
Lansing, Michigan 48909
(517) 373-3310
www.michigan.gov/mde

There are state administrative rules that govern certification and licensure of school personnel in the state of Michigan including regulations for career and technical education instructors. Any questions regarding career and technical education certification or annual authorization should be directed to:

Jo Anne Gibson, Certification Analyst
Office of Professional Preparation Services
Phone: (517) 335-0585

Questions regarding school counselor certification and qualifications should be directed to:

Beatrice Harrison, Higher Education Consultant
Office of Professional Preparation Services
Phone: (517) 241-0046

Additionally, an Internet Credential Verification System is available through the website: http://meis.mde.state.mi.us/teachercert/sr_teaCerts.asp, and enter the requested information.

Michigan Family Independence Agency

Office of Children and Adult Licensing

7109 West Saginaw, 2nd floor

Lansing, MI 48909

(517) 335-6124

Website – www.michigan.gov/fia/0,1607,7-124-5455_27716---,00.html

- Provides for the protection of children in childcare through licensing, regulation, and technical assistance
- Promotes the improvement of the health, safety, and development of children in childcare through licensing, consultation, and education
- Empowers providers, parents, and the community to work in partnership with the Division of Child Day Care Licensing in the continuous effort to improve childcare for Michigan's children

Michigan Department of Treasury

Michigan Merit Award

Michigan Dept of Treasury

P.O. Box 30462

Lansing MI 48909-7962

Toll Free: 1-888-4GRANTS

To be eligible for a Michigan Merit Award, a student must take all four MEAP high school tests: Writing, Reading, Mathematics and Science. Social Studies and Listening are not required to earn a Michigan Merit Award. Students who achieve Level I ("Exceeded Michigan Standards") or Level II ("Met Michigan Standards") on all four tests and who meet all other eligibility requirements, qualify for a Michigan Merit Award. All applicable tests (MEAP, ACT, SAT or WorkKeys) must be taken prior to the end of the student's senior year of high school.

For more information visit: http://www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid/0,1607,7-128-32017_32018---,00.html.